

VIKING 52 OPEN



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VIKING DIFFERENCE

DISCOVER THE VIKING DIFFERENCE – EXPERIENCE AND PRIDE

The Viking Yacht Company is located on the Bass River, a winding marsh-lined tributary, which feeds into the Mullica River and flows into the Great Bay. About 50 minutes by boat to Atlantic City, the wilderness of the Bass River is a stark contrast to the leading edge technology, which precedes every Viking leaving the New Gretna facility. Building a better boat every day has been Viking's philosophy for over 42 years, and this is why Viking leads the industry today in performance, innovation, engineering and luxury. And Viking will also lead tomorrow because its commitment to excellence is reflected in the "Viking Difference."

FAMILY BUSINESS:

Brothers Bill and Bob Healey founded the Viking Yacht Company in 1964 and it remains family owned and operated. Viking is a debt free company and answers only to its unyielding commitment to build the finest boats money can buy.

STATE-OF-THE-ART-FACILITY:

The modern 600,000 square-foot manufacturing facility is equipped with the latest technology and machinery. From multiple CNC routers for cutting wood parts to a \$1 million five-axis profiler, which creates foam plugs to build complex molds, Viking clearly defines cutting edge. And yet, with a 1,400-strong talented and skilled work force, the human element is equally dynamic.

INDUSTRY CERTIFIED:

All Viking Yachts are NMMA Certified Using ABYC Standards.

THE 90 PERCENT FACTOR:

Other than a few major components, such as engines and appliances, virtually every part of a Viking is designed and manufactured on the premises. Whether it is a fiberglass fuel tank or a wiring harness labeled every eight inches with its function, you can be sure of incomparable quality.

FRONT AND CENTER:

New product is the pulse of an engineering-driven company. Viking has the youngest fleet in the marine industry and new models are introduced regularly.

QUALITY CONTROL:

With its four production lines, Viking builds over 100 yachts a year from 45 to 74 feet. By manufacturing most of the yacht's components in house, Viking has an inherent quality control advantage. In addition, each yacht is thoroughly inspected by dedicated personnel during the build process. This attention to detail ensures greater reliability, safety and customer satisfaction.

FINEST SERVICE:

Experienced service personnel with an intimate knowledge of on-board systems stand behind every Viking Yacht. You never go to sea alone when you own a Viking.

VIKING SERVICE CENTER SOUTH:

Located on the Intracoastal Waterway in Riviera Beach, Florida, and just minutes from Palm Beach Inlet, our new service complex handles warranty, fiberglass and running gear repairs. Staffed by Viking-trained professionals, Viking is the only manufacturer to provide its owners with a satellite facility solely for their convenience.

PREFERRED INSURANCE RISK:

Vikings are highly regarded by insurance carriers.

RESALE:

Top-shelf engineering enables Vikings to deliver value, not only when you are using it, but at resale time as well.

VERTICAL INTEGRATION:

To complement the Viking experience, we have created two sister companies. Palm Beach Towers designs and crafts the finest aluminum tuna towers, custom railing, fiberglass hardtops, drop-down electronic boxes, flush-mounted electric teaser reels and a host of other specialized items. Atlantic Marine Electronics is the premier source for Viking installed navigation, communication and entertainment equipment. By specifying Palm Beach Towers and Atlantic Marine Electronics for your accessories, you are assured one-stop shopping and will enjoy taking delivery of your new Viking turnkey ready.

TOTAL FOCUS:

Continuous development with innovative details is the hallmark of a leading edge company and every model from 45 to 74 feet represents Viking's philosophy to build a better boat every day.

LEAD NOT FOLLOW:

Viking raises the bar by incorporating the best in design and performance. Powder-coated structural steel engine beds isolate vibration and ensure drive train alignment. The Delta-T hull-side mounted ventilation system keeps the engine room dry and combustion and propulsion noise levels low. From technical advancements like frameless windows, underwater exhaust systems and tank testing to designer touches like curved doorways and exquisite joinery, Vikings are the epitome of luxury and seagoing excellence.

See for yourself why Viking craftsmanship and blue-water performance are the standards by which other boats are judged. Please contact your Viking dealer to arrange a factory tour and sea trial at your convenience and experience the "Viking Difference."



QUALIFIER

Building a new boat is a challenging task in its own right. But with the youngest fleet in the marketplace and recognized throughout the world as the industry leader, building a better boat every day is what we do at Viking. The spectacular Viking 52 Open is the latest result of this commitment to excellence.



The 52 Open says a lot about its owners. In countless ways this yacht is like a blue-water SUV. One day the assignment is chasing down tournament winning billfish and the next serving to ferry the family about on summer weekends. But whatever the duties, the Viking 52 Open is locked and ready to deliver.

With clean, efficient common rail MAN power, the 52 Open cruises in the mid-30 knot range and tops out near 40 knots with optional power. The Awlgrip finished engine room is a masterpiece of engineering with daily fluid checks inboard and powder-coated web frame engine beds for smooth power and drive train alignment. The Delta-T ventilation system delivers clean air for maximum combustion, while keeping the engine room dry by providing water intrusion suppression.

INDULGENCE

Enter the salon through the sliding aluminum door of the 52 Open and you are surrounded by tasteful opulence. A concert of textures and fabrics blend artfully with a forest of rich teak joinery polished to a gleaming high gloss. The attention to detail is striking, yet it is everything you have come to expect from Viking. From the artfully placed overhead Halogen and indirect rope lighting to the premium Amtico vinyl flooring, the salon is a grand slam of luxurious design.



An L-shaped lounge with generous stowage below and a complementing hi-lo teak cocktail table beckons after an enjoyable day on the water. Entertainment is provided by a home theater system with a 32-inch flat-screen television, a DVD/VCR combo unit and Bose LS18 FM stereo with surround sound speakers. The galley features yards of custom Corian counter space with a surface-mount electric cooktop and a recessed sink complete with a disposal system. Capacious under counter refrigeration is conveniently located to assist in feeding the crew between tournament action or for prepping larger meals back at the dock. Form follows function at the eye level main electrical service, which is backlit for easier viewing along with air conditioning and reverse-cycle heat that flows from behind the valance for optimal distribution.

BLISS

Nighttime aboard a Viking is special in many ways. The separation between the staterooms provides a level of privacy and the accommodations are exquisite. Furnishings are plush and even the little things like opening hatches with screens and shades add a lot to your sweet dreams. Sleep well.



The master suite is forward and most inviting with its walk-around double berth. The mattress lifts easily on gas struts to expose a massive maple-lined bin for stowing gear, supplies and other sundry items. Additional stowage is found beneath the berth in a pair of maple-lined drawers, in lockers along the port hull-side and in the maple-lined hanging locker to starboard. Lighting is both subtle yet effective with overhead Halogens and decorative rope lighting underneath the berth platform. Individual temperature controls allow you to set the air conditioning level for maximum comfort and efficiency.

A one-piece molded bone Corian countertop and sink accent beautifully with the teak faced vanity in the spacious, air-conditioned head. The stall shower, molded of fiberglass for easy maintenance, features polished brass fixtures and a seat.

GUEST RETREAT

The port stateroom off the companionway is comfortably appointed with upper and lower berths providing guests with spacious accommodations for overnighting or cruising. Designer fabrics and quilted bed spreads create a tasteful balance of luxury and practicality.



A maple-lined hanging locker stows a sizeable wardrobe and a lower drawer gobbles up loose items. More stowage is located beneath the lower bunk, which lifts to reveal a large maple-lined compartment. Air conditioning with reverse cycle heat is standard and the speakers recessed into the soffit are connected to the salon stereo with separate volume controls. A flat screen television is available and mounts above the hanging locker for easy viewing.

GAME ON

The 52 Open is surrounded by great company. That more tournament anglers fish aboard Vikings than any other brand of boat is undeniable based on the fact that the World Billfish Series' prestigious President's Cup was awarded to Viking and its dealer network two years in a row during the 2005 and 2006 Miami International Boat Show.



With its 148 square-foot cockpit, the 52 Open is sure to lead many to the Winner's Circle. Rounded coamings make fighting fish on stand-up gear a breeze. Fish and stowage wells are insulated and the hatches are supported by stainless-steel gas struts. Tag sticks stow under the forward port gunwale. A walk-through transom door, fresh and raw-water washdowns, grippy molded nonslip, a tackle center, flush rod holders and a chill box at the bridge deck step barely hint at a long list of standard features.

The unique mezzanine serves as a great perch for watching baits and relaxing between strikes. It also conceals an under mount freezer, stowage compartments and engineroom access.

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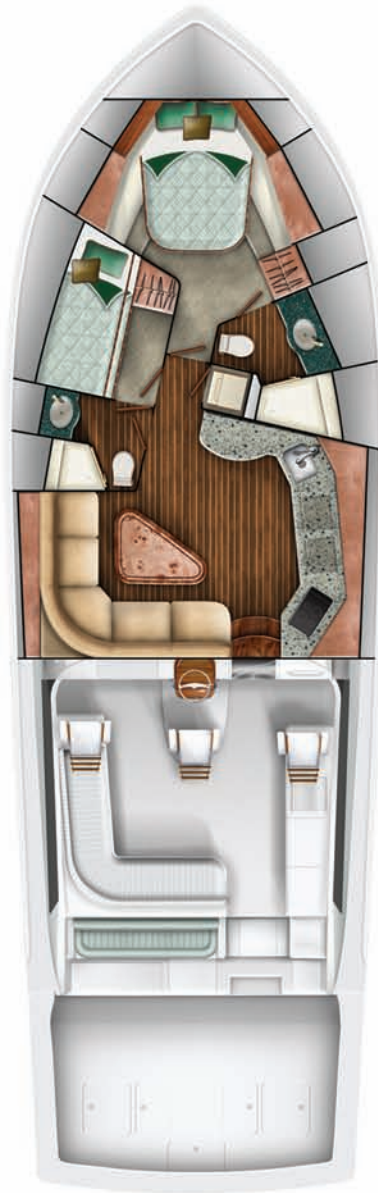
The raked wraparound windshield with tempered glass, wipers and washers provides both protection and smart styling. An integrated track creates a durable connection for the enclosure affording better spray and rain protection and a customized look.



Three Murray Products teak ladder back helm seats with four-inch stainless-steel pedestals provide comfort and superb sightlines and help keep everyone close to the action in the cockpit. Power-assisted hydraulic steering and electronic engine controls are standard and deliver impeccable response at the touch of a finger. Electronics are kept dry and weather protected beneath clear acrylic panels in raised fiberglass pods. Communication equipment has its own compartment. A Moritz monitoring system tracks engine status and other functions with both audible and visual alarms.

An L-shaped lounge with rod and gear stowage below to port is an ideal spot for the relief man to take a nap on the charge offshore. A fiberglass console to starboard houses a refrigerator with an ice maker, plus additional stowage lockers for added convenience.

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SPECIFICATIONS

Length, Overall (L.O.A.)	52 ft. 10 in.	16.10 m
Length, Overall W/bow pulpit	56 ft. 11 in.	17.35 m
Waterline Length	46 ft. 4 in.	14.17 m
Beam	17 ft. 3 in.	5.27 m
Freeboard Forward	5 ft. 10 in.	1.8 m
Freeboard Aft	2 ft. 9 in.	.84 m
Draft	5 ft. 0 in.	1.52 m
Displ.	57,040 lbs.	25,873 k
Height Above Waterline:		
To Top of Hardtop	10 ft. 11 in.	3.33 m
To Top of Masthead Light	15 ft. 7 in.	4.75 m
Fuel	1,200 gals.	4,542 l
Fuel Optional	1,400 gals.	5,298 l
Water	200 gals.	757 l
Holding Tank	50 gals.	189.27 l
Cockpit	148 sq. ft.	

SPORTING LIFE

The 52 Open also is offered in our Sport Yacht configuration to accommodate experienced yachtsmen with a myriad of opportunities. For operators in colder climates who want to get a jump on the season, or simply make it last longer, the 52 Sport Yacht with a fiberglass house and aft bulkhead is an ideal choice.



The yacht features a salon-like interior on the bridge deck with a pair of helm seats, an L-shaped lounge to port with a hi-lo table and beautiful teak joinery. Below, the yacht offers wonderful accommodations with two nicely appointed staterooms and two heads, plus an in-line galley to starboard and a washer and dryer.

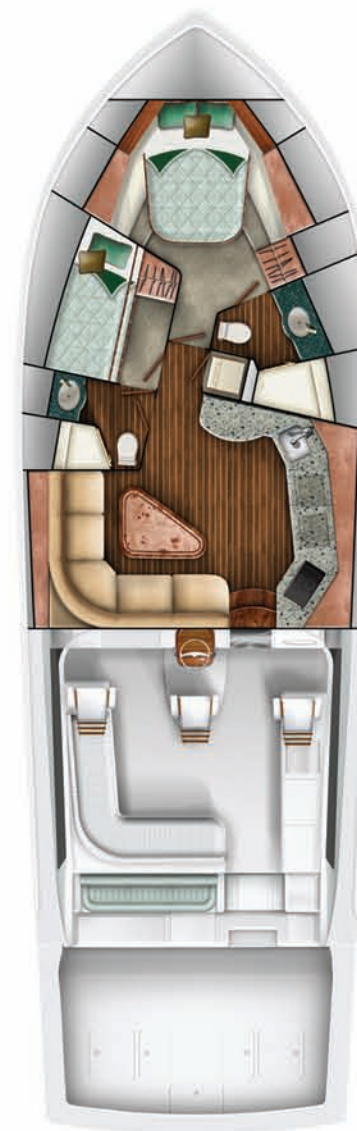
The Open Sport Yacht is the ultimate day boat with an open bulkhead and a low maintenance bridge deck, making it a wonderful option for fishing year round in tropical climates. Add a Palm Beach Tower and the boat becomes a super sailfish rig. Topperside and interior accommodations mirror those found aboard the 52 Open.

Both Sport Yacht models feature the cockpit mezzanine for comfort and convenience.

VIKING 52 SPORT YACHT



ENCLOSED PLAN



OPEN PLAN

We cordially invite you to contact your Viking Yacht dealer to arrange a sea trial and a visit to our 600,000 square-foot modern facility on the beautiful Bass River near Atlantic City, N.J.



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